



Learning Assistance and Resource Center: Tutoring and Success Coaching

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LARC Clerical Support

LARC Mission

The Learning Assistance and Resource Center provides academic support through tutoring and academic success coaching services to promote independent and active learners at West Chester University.

LARC Services

In-person Tutoring in Lawrence 224

In-person Success Coaching in Lawrence 220

All virtual tutoring and Success Coaching meetings take place through Zoom!

General
Tutoring

Supplemental
Instruction (SI)
tutoring

Academic
Success
Program (ASP)
tutoring

Smarthinking

Success
Coaching

Academic
Success
Workshops
(ASW)

General Tutoring: Quick Facts

- Available for most 100- and 200-level courses (*full list of courses available on the website*)
- Tutors:
 - certified through CRLA
 - assigned on a first-come, first-served basis
 - earned an A or A- in the course they are tutoring and have above a 3.0 CGPA

Listing for all Tutored courses is on the LARC Website!

<https://www.wcupa.edu/universityCollege/larc/default.aspx>

Accounting (ACC)	American Sign Language (ASL)	Biology (BIO)	Chemistry (CHE)
ACC 201 - Principles of Accounting I	ASL 110 - Elementary American Sign Language I	BIO 100 - Basic Biological Science	CHE 103 - General Chemistry
ACC 202 - Principles of Accounting II	ASL 111 - Elementary American Sign Language II	BIO 110 - General Biology	CHE 104 - General Chemistry
	ASL 210 - Intermediate American Sign Language II	BIO 217 - General Zoology	CHE 107 - General Chemistry Health Sciences
	ASL 211 - Intermediate American Sign Language II	BIO 230 - Genetics	CHE 230 - Introduction to Org Biological Chemistry
		BIO 259 - Human Anatomy and Physiology I	CHE 231 - Organic Chemistry
		BIO 269 - Human Anatomy and Physiology II	CHE 232 - Organic Chemistry

Computer Science (CSC)	Communication Sciences and Disorders (CSD)	Economics (ECO)	French (FRE)
CSC 110 - Fundamentals in Computer Science	CSD 110 - American Sign Language I	ECO 111 - Principles of Economics (Macro)	FRE 101 - Elementary French I
CSC 141 - Computer Science I	CSD 111 - American Sign Language II	ECO 112 - Principles of Economics (Micro)	FRE 102 - Elementary French I
CSC 142 - Computer Science II	CSD 210 - Intermediate American Sign Language I	ECO 251 - Business Analytics I	FRE 201 - Intermediate French (Traditional)
			FRE 202 - Intermediate French



Use the search icon on the main WCU website to find the "LARC" website!!

Supplemental Instruction (SI)

- ▶ Targets courses with a 30% or higher DFW rate
 - ▶ Biology – 100, 110, 204, 210, 217, 220, 259, 269
 - ▶ Chemistry – 103, 104, 107, 230, 231, 232
- ▶ Tutor attends every class
- ▶ Students receive tutoring as needed outside of class
 - ▶ Weekly appointments available (must be scheduled through LARC staff)
 - ▶ Students can schedule their own as-needed appointments online

Smarthinking Online Tutoring

► Subjects:

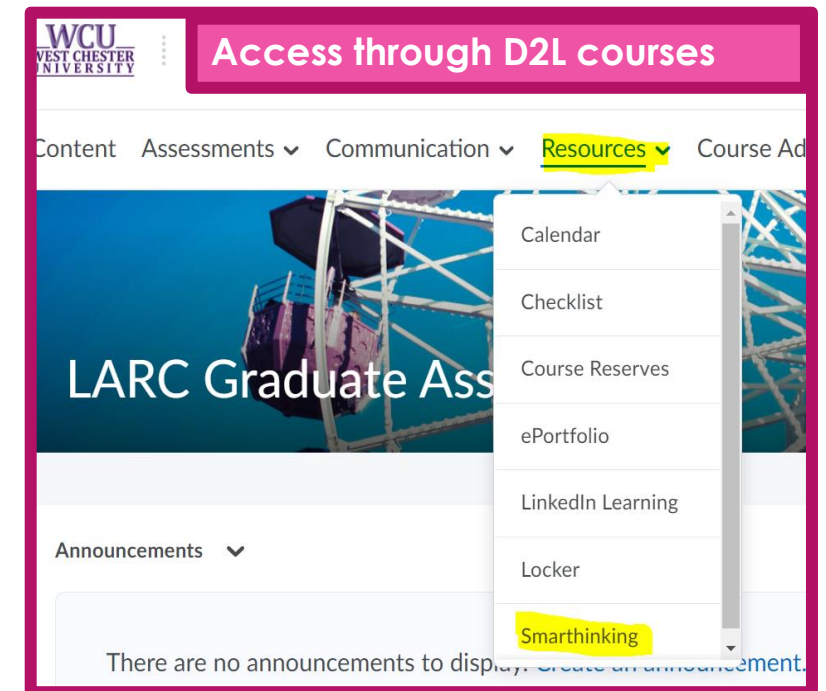
- Math
- Chemistry
- Biology
- Physics
- Statistics
- Economics and Finance
- Spanish
- Computers & Technology
- Nursing
- ...and more

► Available **24/7**

- **Students can access on D2L!**

► Ideal for...

- commuters
- athletes
- working students
- non-traditional student



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Signing Up

- ▶ We offer both in-person and virtual tutoring options.
- ▶ Sign up and attend tutoring using WC Online
- ▶ Select a tab for the subject you want (Biology, Chemistry, Math, Humanities, and Business+).
- ▶ These are not weekly appointments. You will need to sign-up for each appointment. (LARC staff can set weekly appointments).
- ▶ You will be emailed a confirmation email after you sign-up.
- ▶ For Online Appointments: All tutor zoom links are in their profile on WC Online.


[ACCESS TEXT-ONLY/ACCESSIBLE & MOBILE VERSION](#)















WELCOME, SAMANTHA ▾

Mar. 1 - Mar. 7, 2021

Biology Tutoring ▾

◀ PREVIOUS WEEK | CURRENT WEEK | NEXT WEEK ▶ 






HELP?

Mar. 1: Monday	9:00am	10:00am	11:00am	12:00pm	1:00pm	2:00pm	3:00pm	4:00pm	5:00pm
BIO 100-01 (Sarah Philip) 									
BIO 110-01 (Ava Zimmerman) 									
BIO 217-01 (Heather Quadrino)  SUPPORTS 2 MEMBER GROUPS									
BIO 230-01 (Armin Mahdavi) 									
BIO 259-01 (Kimberly Bonfiglio) 									
BIO 259-02 (Abigail Shea) 									
BIO 269-02 (Jessica Schmidt) 									

Student Success Coaching

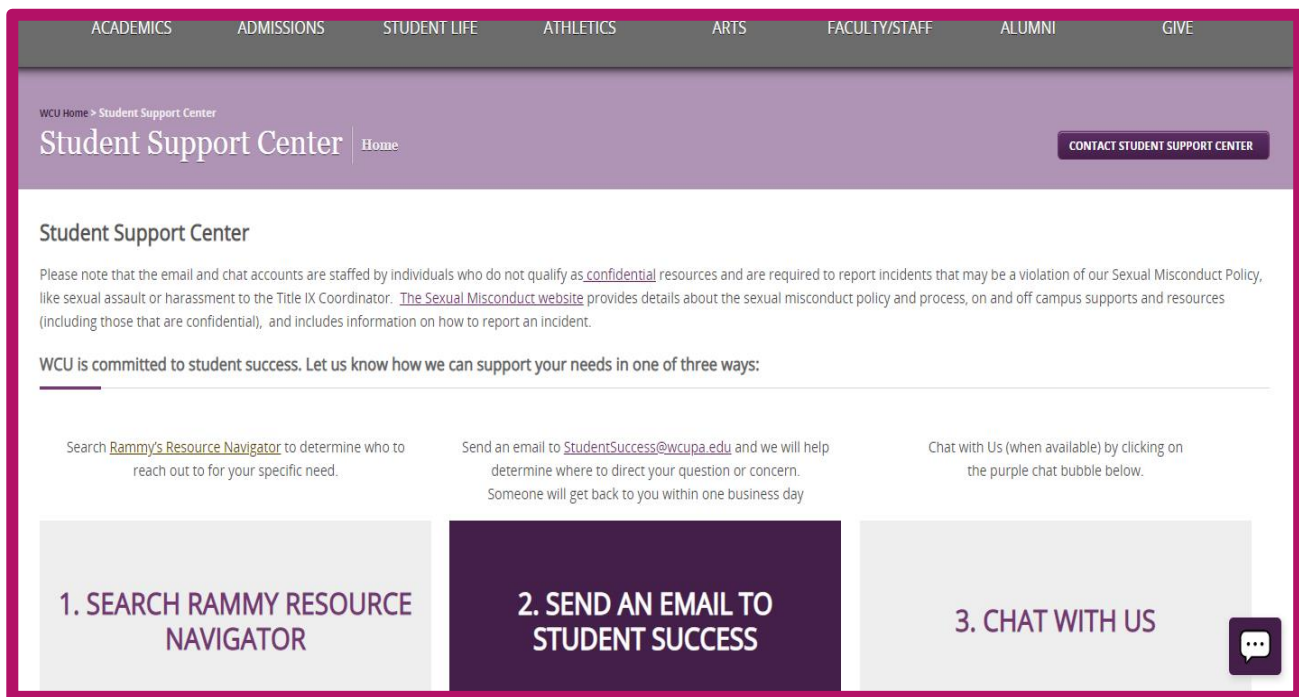
- Virtual (Zoom) and in-person meeting appointments
- Topics covered:
 - Note Taking
 - Active Reading
 - Goal Setting
 - Final Preparation
 - Self-care
 - Effective Communication
 - Support with Online Courses
 - Time Management
 - Test Preparation
 - Effective Study Techniques
 - Procrastination
 - Stress Reduction
- College adjustment & more
- Success Coaching starts the first day of class.
- Visit website to schedule an appointment using myWConline.



Academic Success Workshop (ASW)

- Provides tips and strategies for academic and personal success
 - Recorded Presentations Available
 - Personalized Presentations with individual student groups or campus partners can be arranged.
- Links available on LARC website
- In-person ASW's will be posted at the start of semester on the LARC Website





Not sure where to locate a Campus Resource?

VISIT THE BRAND NEW
WCUPA.EDU/SUPPORT/ WEBSITE

Writing Center

We help
you
become a
better
writer!

We start with
your concerns

- APA style
- Grammar
- Meeting the assignment
- Organization
- Flow...

We help you
find patterns

- Tips for organization
- Patterns of grammatical error (2-3 at most in one session)
- Not a proofreading service

Your
learning
is up to
you!



Come in twice! Once when you have a first draft and again before the assignment is due.



Expect to leave the session with a to do list of things you can accomplish on your own.



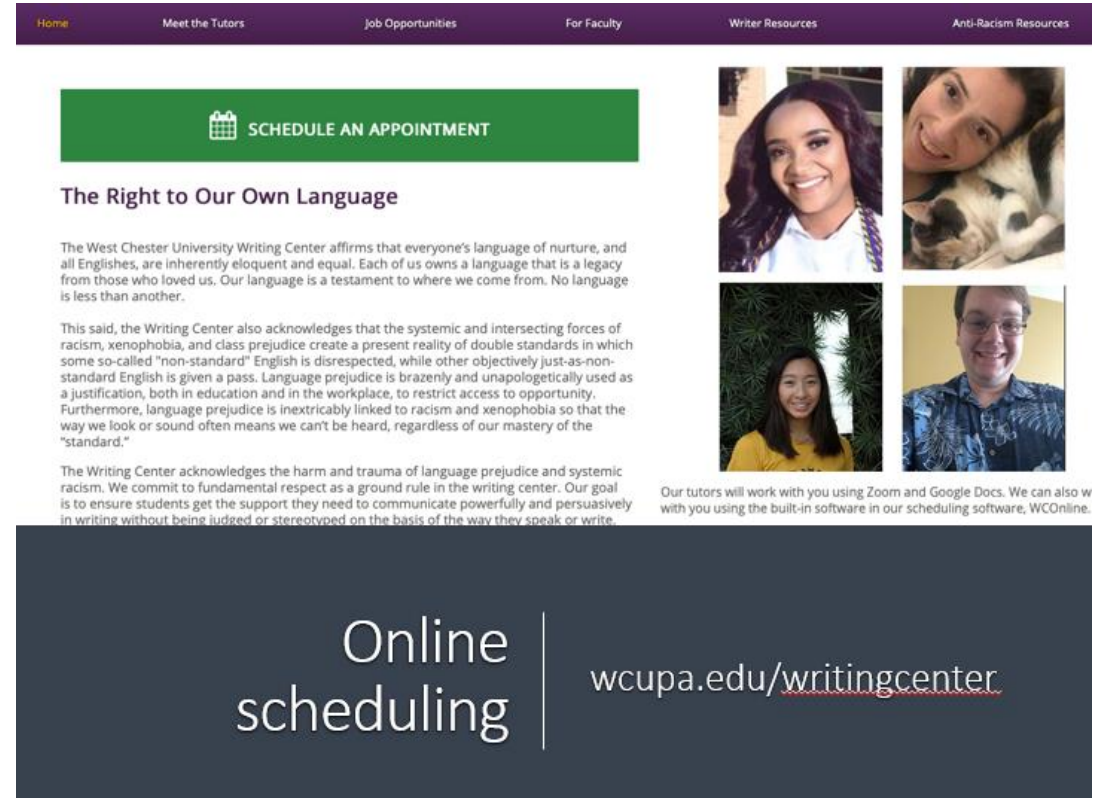
Know that becoming a good writer takes time and practice. You don't go from a C to an A in one session...



Your professor and the tutors are a team! If you have concerns about your tutorial, tell your professor, and they will reach out to us.

Scheduling an appointment for the WRT Center...

- ▶ We also use WC Online, just a separate account.
- ▶ Both virtual and in-person appointments available.
- ▶ Same day appointments available
- ▶ Writing Center Hours:
 - ▶ Monday-Thursday 10am-9pm
 - ▶ Friday & Sunday 10am-2pm
- ▶ Cancellation Policy:
 - ▶ Cancel ahead of time to avoid losing WRT Center services



The screenshot displays the West Chester University Writing Center website. At the top is a navigation bar with links: Home, Meet the Tutors, Job Opportunities, For Faculty, Writer Resources, and Anti-Racism Resources. A prominent green button labeled "SCHEDULE AN APPOINTMENT" is visible. Below this, the section "The Right to Our Own Language" features a paragraph affirming everyone's language and a longer paragraph discussing systemic racism and language prejudice. To the right of the text are four portrait photos of tutors. At the bottom right, a note states: "Our tutors will work with you using Zoom and Google Docs. We can also work with you using the built-in software in our scheduling software, WCOnline." The footer of the page includes the text "Online scheduling" and the website address "wcupa.edu/writingcenter".



Thank you for listening!

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